(SRI R. ANANTARAMAN.)

[*Vide* Reply to Clause (*a*)].

Statement showing the allotment and Expenditure on Distress Relief Measures for 1952-53 (as on 9th March 1953).

District	Distress Relief Works		Fodder Supply		Assam Relief Fund (Gratuitous Relief)		Donation from Prime Minister and His Highness the Rajpramukh	
	Allotment	Expenditure	Allotment	Expenditure	Allotment	Expenditure	Allotment	Expenditure
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bangalore ..	55,000	54,881	10,000	1,000	5,000	3,500	10,000	*
Kolar ..	15,24,000	12,20,000	1,44,500	1,44,500	20,000	19,000	30,000	22,000
Tumkur ..	4,68,000	2,64,759	16,000	49,434	10,000	9,295	25,000	25,000
Chitaldrug ..	2,89,000	1,52,966	16,500	37,000	10,000	1,448	..	..
Shimoga ..	1,22,500	17,545	.	1,696	..	..	..	..
Chikmagalur ..	32,500	1,500	3,000	1,986	..	..	..	..
Hassan ..	2,62,500	5,644	..	5,536	..	..	..	..
Mysore ..	59,000	20,901	19,000	6,277	2,500	1,813	..	..
Mandya ..	30,500	2,325	3,33,000	2,42,393	2,500	248	..	..
Total ..	28,43,000	18,40,521	5,42,000	4,89,752	50,000	35,304	65,000	47,500

* Apart from these on sums about 20 lakhs of Rupees have been allotted for granting loans and subsidies. About 36 lakhs of rupees have been allotted from Grow More Food grants for starting irrigation works in Distress areas, Rs. 50,00,000 have been sanctioned for supply of Electricity in Distress areas.

Q.—670. Sri D. M. GOVINDARAJU (Nelamangala).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the number of Districts declared as famine stricken in the State during the current year;

(*b*) the number of taluks in the said districts that are most affected by the distress;

(*c*) the relief measures undertaken by them in this behalf?

A.—Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(*a*) The question is not clear. There is distress in varying degrees in all Districts of the State.

(*b*) Fifty-one taluks in the State are affected in varying degrees. List appended below.

(*c*) The following relief measures have been undertaken:—

(i) Starting relief works through (1) Revenue Agency, (2) Public Works Department, (3) Red Cross Aid and (4) Local Bodies.

(ii) Supply of fodder hay from surplus areas to the affected areas at a subsidised rate.

(iii) Liberal issue of takavi and Land Improvement Loans.

(iv) Iiberal issue of subsidy for irrigation wells.

(v) Affording gratuitous Relief by means of:—

(*a*) free distribution of food grains to the destitutes.

(*b*) Gruel Centres.

(*c*) Milk Centres.

(vi) Opening additional food depots wherever essential and issuing additional ration cards.

(vii) Remission and suspension of Land Revenue assessments.

[*Vide* Reply to Clause (*b*)].

List showing the areas where distress conditions are prevailing.

Kolar ..	10	All taluks	except Malur.

Tumkur ..	9	Tumkur, Gubbi, Sira, Pavagada, Madhugiri, Chiknaikanhalli, Tiptur, Koratagere and Turuvekere.
Chitaldrug ..	9	All the nine Taluks.
Hassan ..	5	Arsikere, Channarayapatna, Hassan and parts of Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks.
Shimoga ..	4	Channagiri, Honnali, Shimoga and Bhadravati.
Mysore ..	7	Hunsur, Periyapatna, Gundlupet, Chamarajnagar, Heggaddevanakote, Nanjangud and T.-Narsipur Taluks.
Mandya ..	8	Nagamangala, Krishnarajpet and parts of Pandavapur Taluks.
Chikmagalur..	2	Kadur and parts of Chikmagalur.
Bangalore ..	2	Parts of Kanakapura and Dodballapur Taluks.

Q.—640. Sri T. G. THIMMEGOWDA (Tiptur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the amounts spent for Famine Relief Works in each of the areas affected by distress in the State during 1952 and 1953 ;

(*b*) the amount provided for famine relief in each area ;

(*c*) the amounts so provided for each district and taluk ?

A.—Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).

(*a*) Amount spent in each district for relief works are as below :—

	Rs.
Bangalore ..	52,000
Kolar ..	13,20,000
Tumkur ..	2,64,750
Chitaldrug ..	1,46,946
Shimoga ..	17,545
Chikmagalur ..	1,500
Mysore ..	20,901
Hassan ..	5,644
Mandya ..	2,325
Total	18,31,620

(*b*) and (*c*) Amounts provided to different districts under several items are noted hereunder.*

	*District	*Distress Relief works*	*Fodder supply*	*Assam Relief Fund*	*Takavi Loan*	*Land Improvement Loans*	*Subsidy*
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Bangalore ..	55,000	10,000	5,000	35,000	16,000	30,000
2	Kolar ..	15,24,000	1,44,500	20,000	5,05,000	80,000	3,00,000
3	Tumkur ..	4,68,000	16,000	10,000	1,95,000	40,000	60,000
4	Chitaldrug ..	2,89,000	16,500	10,000	1,90,000	10,000	50,000
5	Shimoga ..	1,22,500	..	..	97,500	8,000	25,000
6	Chikmagalur ..	32,500	2,000	..	42,500	7,000	25,000
7	Hassan ..	2,62,500	..	..	67,500	17,000	25,000
8	Mysore ..	59,000	19,000	2,500	55,000	15,000	30,000
9	Mandya ..	30,500	3,53,000	2,500	20,000	7,000	25,000

Note :—The above figures do not include the sums spent for executing the Grow More Food Works in the Distress Areas.